



Proclamation

October 10, 2006, Chinese communities throughout the world will celebrate the 95th annual National Day of the Republic of China.

This celebration is a reminder of the historic day in 1911 when a new and democratic republic emerged from the overthrow of the Manchu Dynasty by Dr. Sun Yat-Sen and other revolutionary leaders. History shows that Sun Yat-Sen received part of his early education in our islands, which continues to be a great source of pride for the people of our state.

The Republic of China and the State of Hawai`i share common historic and cultural ties, and many of our residents trace their ancestral roots to China and the island of Taiwan, with which the Aloha State enjoys a Sister State/Province relationship.

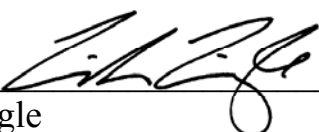
On October 9, 2006, the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Honolulu will host a National Day Celebration at the Hilton Hawaiian Village.

THEREFORE, I, LINDA LINGLE, Governor of the State of Hawai`i, and **I, JAMES R. "DUKE" AIONA, JR.**, Lieutenant Governor, do hereby proclaim **October 10, 2006**, as


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in Hawai`i, and offer greetings of aloha to Director General and Mrs. Philip T. Y. Wang as well as other members of Hawai`i's Chinese community on this momentous occasion.

Done at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai`i, this sixth day of October 2006.



Linda Lingle
Governor, State of Hawai`i



James R. "Duke" Aiona, Jr.
Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawai`i